## ASKS FORGIVENESS FOR WILSON VOTE

The Rev. Dr. Eaton Urges Colonel's Election in Talk Scorning Pacifism.

UNCLE SAM WORLD LAMB

'stop fighting' to the belligerent nations! plied as follows: What would the reply be? They'd say

This statement was contained in an address by the Rev. Dr. Charles A. Eaton, pastor of the Madison Avenue Baptist Church, in an address before the Madison Avenue League in East Thirty-

what are we going to do? We can't trefer the matter to a Kaiser because, thank God, we haven't one, nor to a Prime Minister. We want a leader who will lead. As George Harvey says, if President Wilson would take his frostbitten ear from the ground and lead the people would follow him.

blood with confidence. A man of integrity, conservative in the best sense of the word, and of constructive tendencies, he will appeal to this element as Roosevelt, who has been chasing issues these many years, never can.

"German Americans will trust his Americanism to be genuine. He can prevent them, therefore, from voting for the candidate of some third party, a fact not to be underestimated."

#### Against Pacifism.

against militarism with all my soul.
But I think the best thing in the world MILW is a good fight. A man that can't fight when a good cause presents itself ought

"But look at our course in Mexico.
It is one of the sorriest spectacles in history. We ought to back up our citizens engaged in legitimate business anywhere on earth with every man of our less. Wilson is simply dodging bricks.
"Was our flag ever saluted at Vera
Cruz Ah! but Mr. Bryan got a bril-lant idea about Mexico. He told all our
people to get out of the country. They did when they could find a British or be near the American flag meant death

#### FEAR FARMERS IN POLITICS.

Insurance Men Warned of "Wave of Communistic Legislation."

PHILADELPHIA, May 23 .- Fearing exnction of their business as the result ning in an effort to stem the tide, embers of the Insurance Federation of emsylvania, the branch of the organitation in this State, held their annual

"Only farmers are eligible for mem-ership," he said. "They are paying om \$6 to \$9 each for membership. The total voting population of North Dakota is 90,000; 60,000 are farmers. nd of these 50,000 are in the league, pledged to vote for the league's candi-dates, from Governor down. It is a mighty power, of nationwide signifi-

#### SAYS BURLESON HAS A LOBBY. gates To-day-Fight on Dry Issue. House Resolution Directing an Inquiry is Offered.

WASHINGTON, May 23 .- A resolution directing an investigation to be made of a lobby alleged to have been origihated by the Postmaster-General or his fourth assistant was presented in the House to-day by Representative Good

The resolution contains the charge that Postmaster-General Burleson has demoralized the rural delivery service by unreasonably increasing the length of routes and by the "wholesale dis-

missal" of old employees.

A Senate amendment to the Post Office bill, designed to limit the power of the Postmaster-General in this respect, has resulted, the resolution continues, in a flood of protests from postmasters throughout the country. It is said that the Postmaster-General or the fourth assistant is responsible for the organization of this alleged jobby.

zation of this alleged lobby.

The resolution directs that the House Committee on Post Office and Post Roads investigate the lobby and report its findings.

#### WESTCHESTER NOTES.

### GERMANS IN U. S. INCLINE TO HUGHES, VIEW OF EDITORS

Justice Favored in Presidential Race by German American Press in Various Cities-None for Wilson, Roosevelt or Root, Says Chicagoan.

German editors in the United States, that we cannot discuss politics outside asked as to what is the attitude of the papers are so unfairly pro-Ally that we German American voters toward Supers are so unfairly pro-Ally that we prefer to do nothing at the request of preme Court Justice Charles E. Hughes New York papers." "Suppose Mr. Wilson were to say as a Presidential possibility, have re-

#### NEW YORK CITY.

Madison Avenue League in East Thirtyfirst street last night. The pastor said
also:
"I voted for Woodrow Wilson. I
hope the Lord will forgive me. Never
again:"
Dr. Eaton advocated the election of
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"There is no question whatever that massions "There is no question whatever that the should prepare, and prepare so that when we backed a proposition along international ines we would be listened to with respect—so that our words would have some effect. If you rist shake your fist at a fellow and then shake your finger' you are likely to wind up by winking the left eye and looking might sheepish.

"Uncle Sam should not play the part of the bleating lamb in the International menagerie. It is time for him to he able to take a stand and back it up if necessary.

"There is no question whatever that the feelings, the emotions, the passions and the nefarious greed for money which have been awakened by the European war will, in the coming Presidential campaign, weigh heavily in one direction or the other. That is only natural, as our country has been, to a certain extent at least, drawn into the maelstrom of this conflict, even to the extent of giving aid to one side.

"President Wilson, as the Democratic candidate, will represent in the coming fight the attitude of our Government as it has been pursued during the last

tional menagerie. It is time for him to be able to take a stand and back it up if necessary.

"What happened when Theodore, your rext President—I almost forgot to mention that. I took it for granted—told Japan and Russia to quit fighting?Why, they both said 'Yes, of course; certainly. We had only been waiting for you to tell us when to knock off.' And there was peace.

"Says Ford Acted Like Fool."

"Pacifism has gone to sea. It is divided between Ford and Bryan principally. Mr. Ford, for many things has done, deserves great credit, but he acted like a blankety, blank fool in starting out in the old Oscar II. with that load of cranks. It was the shadow cast across his virtues.

"When war came to the world—the greatest war of all time—it found us wripeting our hands with a lot of pair."

"I am sorry to say that we have been jursued during the attitude of our Government in the United States."

"I am sorry to say that we have been jursued during the last two years. It is natural enough, theretoe, that his political opponents should desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping with his high desire to select as their standard bearer a man who, in keeping wi

#### ST. LOUIS.

It am sorry to say that we have letting our youth get too much of this sissy stuff. If I had a boy who showed any symptoms of becoming like that I would take him to the woodshed and with a hickory switch teach him a les-

fact not to be underestimated."

Westliche Post editors declined to dis-

prefer to do nothing at the request of

#### PHILADELPHIA.

Gustav Mayer, publisher of "German American voters and the Philadelphia German Gazette and German Demokrat are for Justice Charles E. Hughes of the United States Supreme

Court for President. "At the present time the sentiment among our readers is in favor of Justice Hughes in preference to any of the Presidential possibilities. Philander C.

"In the event of the nomination of Justice Hughes by the Republican party he will receive the support of our readers and both the Gazette and Demokrat.

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German descent. Every German American is for good government and holds Justice Hughes in the highest esteem because of his debt in this second to the second cause of his fight in this connection. The German American voters of New York State and the country. I believe, only wish for a chance to cast their ballot for

Frank C. B. Held, editor of the Buffalo Demokrat, declined to discuss Justice Hughes and the Presidency. The paper is Democratic in politics.

#### CHICAGO.

Edward Selbmann, city editor of the Illinois Staats Zeitung, said:
"None of the German papers has as much as intimated whom it will support Not until after the Democratic and Re-MILWAUKEE. publican conventions will the Germans make their choice. I will say, however, that there will be no German votes cast "We must maintain the position for Wilson, Roosevelt or Root.

SPEECH FIGHTS 'PORK'

Bill's Items Are Grossly

Extravagant.

#### hest thing about it, and that is just the thing that will keep us from engaging to any but rishteous war. PASS PORTO RICO BILL TAGGART IN MAIDEN MINUS EQUAL SUFFRAGE

tundred millions and every cent we own.
Otherwise our citizenship becomes worthless. Wilson is simply dodging bricks.

House Eliminates the Mann Senator Says Some of the Amendment in Citizenship

Measure.

Washington, May 23.—After eliminating the equal suffrage provision the House to-day passed the Porto Rican citizenship bill practically without opposition.

The suffrage leaders who had counted upon a record vote on the suffrage question precipitated by the Mann amendment, which provided that there should be no discrimination as to sex in fixing the qualifications for electors of the island, were disappointed. When the question was taken up by the House the amendment was stricken from the bill by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats, among them Majority by a letter vote of 80 to 59. A number of Democrats among them Majority and I am equally in favor of improving all of our main harbors where vessels of deep draught load and unload their commerce.

The measure passed by the House to-day, and it the Senate to-day, and it was in opposition to the "pork bar the maden has made his made his maden to-day, and it was in opposition to the "pork bar bear to-day, and it was in opposition to the "pork bar bear to day, and it was in opposition to the Senate to-day, and it was in op

tonal Council of Insurance Federations, in his address said: "There is a mighty wave of communism, paternalism, State socialism sweeping over the country and cur business of insurance underwriting is the first to be attacked."

Referring to the growth of the "farmers in non-partisan political league" in North Dakota, he declared that this league is going to win control of the State Republican party and then go after hower, in every other State in which the farming element is strong.

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collected under laws of the United States, whether on articles produced and consumed in the island or consumed in the United States, shall be turned into the Porto Rican Treasury. It is expected that the finances of the island will be rehabilitated in this way and the decreases in customs collections offset.

#### BAILEY OUT FOR WILSON.

Texas Democrats Elect 48 Dele-

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 23.—The principal fight in the State Democratic convention which met here to-day to tion will be over resolutions that will be offered by ex-Senator J. W. Bailey declaring against national prohibition and woman suffrage. Mr. Bailey's resoelect delegates to the national convenand woman suffrage. In the committee on platform indorsing the Administration and policies of President Wilson and instructing the delegates to the St. Louis convention to the convention of the committee of the convention of the convent vote for Wilson and Marshall was unan-imously adopted. Until now the ex-Sen-

ator has been pronounced in his oppo-sition to Wilson.

The delegates will be elected to-morrow. There will be forty-eight in all, in-cluding sixteen delegates at large each of the latter being entitled to one-half vote in the convention.



## GREW BRINGS LIGHT ON U BOAT PLEDGE

Secretary of Berlin Embassy Is Expected to Give Lansing Important Facts.

HOME ON BRIEF LEAVE

WASHINGTON, May 23 .- The arrival of Joseph Clark Grew, Secretary of the American Embassy in Berlin, who is home on a brief leave of absence, will enable the United States Government to chable the United States Government to obtain detailed first hand information concerning conditions in Germany about which official reports have been more or less conflicting. Mr. Grew is expected to see Secretary Lansing this week.

Although nothing outside of personal considerations prompted Mr. Grew's return to the United States, it is said at the State Department that he will be in a position to supply information which

Hughes in preference to any of the Presidential possibilities. Philander C. Knox stands next to Justice Hughes with the Germans for the Republican nomination. Col. Roosevelt, according to expressions of sentiment we have received from ourr readers, is too bombastic.

"Although the are Republican papers, as the situation stands to-day we would support President Wilson in preference to Col. Roosevelt in case they are nominated by the two big parties. The only possible change from this policy could come through platform declarations by the Democratic party which we could not support."

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knowing what the subscipling the blockade and consequent food shortage are as seriously affecting the populace as reported from some quarters. Mr. Grew is expected to be in a position to throw light on the persistent suggestions for peace which are emanating from Berlin and to explain whether they are prompted by the effect of the blockade or by other

The State Department also will have an opportunity to go over the situation concerning Americans now in Germany. Advance arrangements for getting then last crisis there were many unsolved problems in this connection. The em-bassy at Berlin was besieged by Americans who were without funds, and Am

leans who were without funds, and Ambassador Gerard had no money at his disposal to help them.

Other questions which it is said Mr. Grew will discuss are the difficulties confronting Americans in business in Germany on account of the holding up of the malls by the Entente the delays. of the mails by the Entente, the delays attendant upon the Department official communications to Ambassador Gerard and the Ambassador's replies. including the request from the Depart-ment for information concerning the punishment meted out to Lieut. Stein-brink, submarine commander, who tor-

brink, submarine commander, who tor-pedoed the Sussex.

Mr. Grew, it is explained, has had a busy and exciting time in Berlin since the outbreak of the war. The day that war with Great Britain was declared be was roused from his home at midnight response to appeals from a score of American and English newspaper corre spondents arrested at the Hotel Adlon a

spies.

The German authorities refused all explanations until Mr. Grew arrived in haste at the hotel and demanded the immediate release of the Americans. When this was refused Mr. Grew said he himself would remain with the Amer ons until the matter was settled. There upon the authorities permitted all of the

correspondents to go.

The State Department will learn from Mr. Grew the details of the visit of Ambassador Gerard to Emperor William at grand army headquarters. Cable iam at grand army heauquarters. Capte reports incorporating the Emperor's message of friendship for the United States have been received already from Mr. Gerard, but a comprehensive report so far has been lacking.

SECRETARY RETURNS. Berlin Embassy Attache Goes to

Washington to Report. Joseph Clark Grew, first secretary of

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#### M'CLELLAN NOT WITH FORD.

Won't Be Peace Party's Candidate

for Vice-President. PRINCETON, N. J., May 23 .- George B. McClellan, ex-Mayor of New York and professor of European economic policy at Princeton University, will not be a ter follows: candidate for the Vice-Presidency on the ticket of the newly formed "American Peace party" with Henry Ford as the party's candidate for the Presidency. Prof. McClellan, when told that it was reported that he would be nominated said: "The American Peace party must

be very newly formed, for my most earnest efforts have failed to discover any trace of its existence. Besides, I am not an American Peace party man or any other kind of a pacifist. On the contrary, in the interest of national necessity and peace, I favor adequate military and naval preparedness for war. Boy, Upbraided, Takes Iodine.

Because, the police say, his mother upbraided him when she missed \$18 from their home, 2398 Myrtle avenue, Ridge-

their nome, 2338 anythe avenue, Ridge-wood, Frank Krause, 13 years old, swal-lowed a part of the contents of a bottle of iodine. He was taken to the German Hospital, Brooklyn, where it was said he would recover.

## FISKE VINDICATED BY THE PRESIDENT

Wilson Sends a Letter Quoting Daniels as Accepting Admiral's Word.

HOLDS INCIDENT CLOSED

The American Defence Society has re eived from President Woodrow Wilson what it regards as a complete vindication of Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske his controversy with Secretary Daniels over the question of the "lost" letter on the necessity of naval pre paredness, which the Admiral says he handed to Secretary Daniels in Novem-

ber, 1914, and which Mr. Daniels de-clared he had never seen.

The vindication is contained in a letter received yesterday from President Wil-son and addressed to C. S. Thompson, chairman of the executive committee of the American Defence Society. The let-ter follows: Washington, May 22, 1916.

MY DEAR SIR: I am in receipt of your letter of the twelfth of May. I

referred it to the Secretary of the Navy and he has furnished me the fol-

Navy and he has furnished me the following memorandum:
"Some days ago, in response to a resolution of the Senate, I transmitted to that honorable body a copy of a communication written by Rear Admiral Fiske in November, 1914. In transmitting the letter I stated that I had not seen it and did not know that it had been filed until long after it was filed with the chief clerk.
"In a recent letter to the Senate. "In a recent letter to the Senate Rear Admiral Fiske stated that my statement showed a 'lapse of memory,' because he had presented the letter to me and I had read it. I have no recol-

lection that his paper was ever presented to me or of reading it.
"Inasmuch, however, as Admiral
Fiske states that he did show it to me before it was filed I of course accept his statement. It was his custom

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while aid for operations to present to me scores of papers bearing upon all naval matters. It is utterly impossible for any Cabinet officer in the multiplicity of papers presented to him to recall all of them.

"I had talked with Rear Admiral Fiske several times about the subject matter of the communication, upon which I had rather fixed views. But I did not, when my letter was written to the Senate, and do not now, recall that he had any time committed his views to paper, presented them to me or placed them on file."

Inasmuch as the difference referred to in your letter between the Secre-

to in your letter between the Secre-tary of the Navy and Rear Admiral Fiske is merely one of recollection of an incident which occurred in November, 1914, and inasmuch as the Secre-tary says that, while he has no recollection of having read the communica-tion by Rear Admiral Fiske, he is will-ing to accept the Admiral's statement, the matter does not seem to me to call for any comment. Very truly yours, Woodbow Wilson.

On May 12, C. S. Thompson as chair-man of the executive committee of the American Defence Society wrote to President Wilson urging him, in justice to Admiral Fiske and to Secretary
Daniels, to order an investigation.
Naval officers who have seen the letter that the President sent to the May 31.

the question of veracity has been settled. They said that had the cloud been permitted to remain not one of them would have dared, in the future, to communi-cate with the Secretary of the Navy for fear that similar questions involving themselves might arise. The Fiske-Daniels controversy arose

over a letter commenting on the navy over a letter commenting on the navy which Admiral Fiske addressed to Secretary Daniels under the date of November 9, 1914, and which, the Admiral said, he handed to Mr. Daniels in the presence of witnesses as the Secretary of the Navy stood at his desk in the Navy Department. Admiral Fiske said that Mr. Daniels read the letter at the

that Mr. Daniels read the letter at that time.

When the letter was made public some weeks ago, Mr. Daniels declared in the face of Admiral Fiske's statement that he had never seen the commication.

Sabbath Law Case Goes Over. The complaint of the Kings County Sunday Observance Association charg-ing the Sheepshead Bay Speedway Com-pany and allied associations with violatpany and aliied associations with violat-ing an old blue law on Sunday last was not heard in the Coney Island police court yesterday, Magistrate Voorhees granting an adjournment until

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